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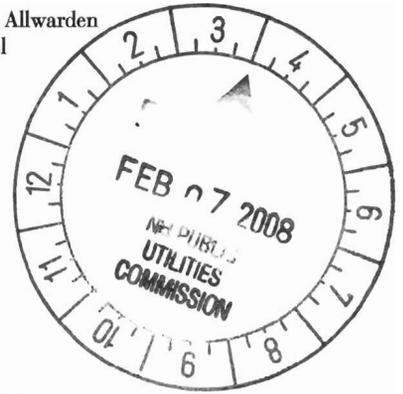
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21 South Fruit St., Suite 10
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**Re: Public Service Company of New Hampshire – Petition for License to
Construct and Maintain Electric Lines Over and Across the Piscataquog
River in the Town of Weare, New Hampshire**

Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission please find the original and six (6) copies of the Petition of Public Service Company of New Hampshire for License to Construct and Maintain Electric Lines Over and Across the Piscataquog River in the Town of Weare, New Hampshire, with attached exhibits. A copy of this filing has been provided to the Office of Consumer Advocate.

PSNH respectfully requests that the Commission issue an Order Nisi with respect to the enclosed Petition.

Should there be any technical questions concerning this filing, they may be directed to PSNH Engineer David M. Still, P.E., at 634-2078. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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